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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

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Tetsuo YAMADA

Application No.: 09/680,963

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Examiner: Heather R. Long

Atty. Dkt. No.: 107317-00017

For: CHARGE TRANSFER DEVICE, SOLID STATE IMAGE PICKUP DEVICE
USING CHARGE TRANSFER DEVICE, AND CONTROL METHOD FOR
SOLID STATE IMAGE PICKUP DEVICE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

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